

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : David A. Gerken
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed October 3, 2007, please consider the remarks/arguments below and please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.